Data Profiling and Data Quality Checks in RStudio

Using R in RStudio



Imported Your Data Already?

• If you already have your data in RStudio, you can skip the slides providing an overview of the import process.





Dataset

• This tutorial is a walkthrough with a sample set of data. You may use this to walk through the tutorial, if you wish, but for your assignments, you will be asked to use your own dataset (as specified within the course).

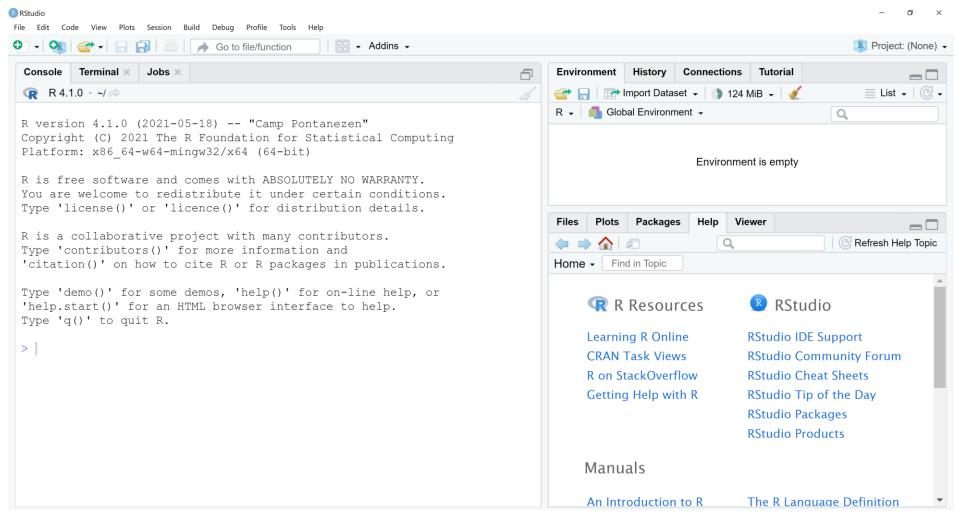
Dataset reference:

Skoryk, M. (2021). Sepsis Prediction from Clinical Data. Version 1. Retrieved from https://www.kaggle.com/maxskoryk/datasepsis



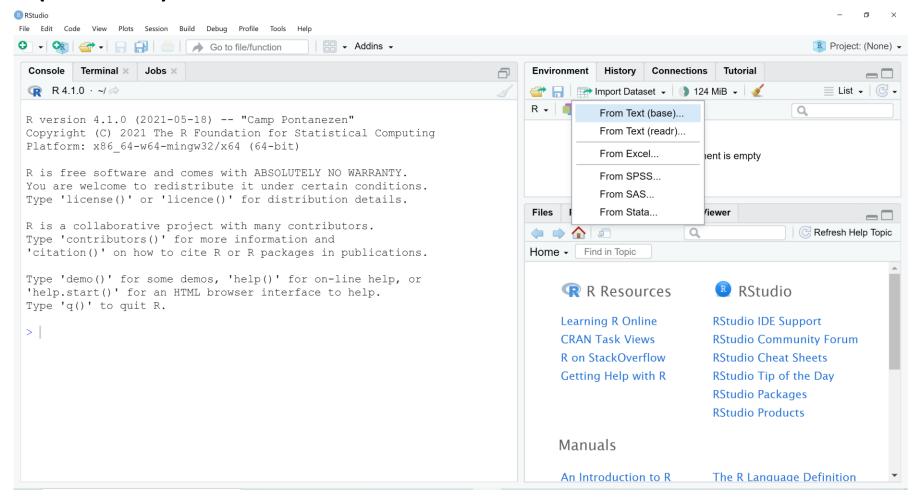


Open R Studio



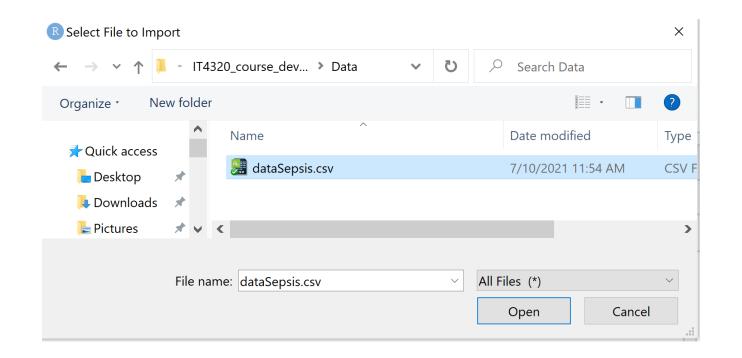


Click on "Import Data" and Choose "From Text (base)"



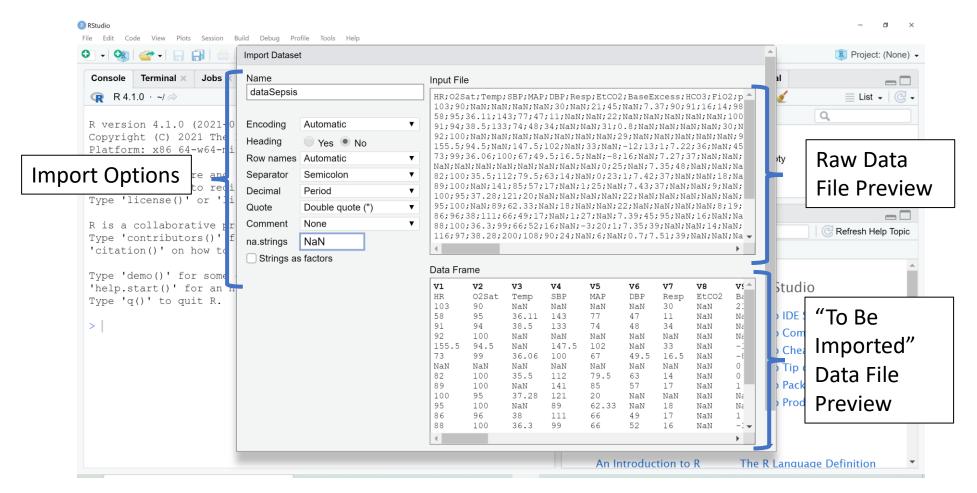


Navigate to Your Dataset, Then Click "Open"



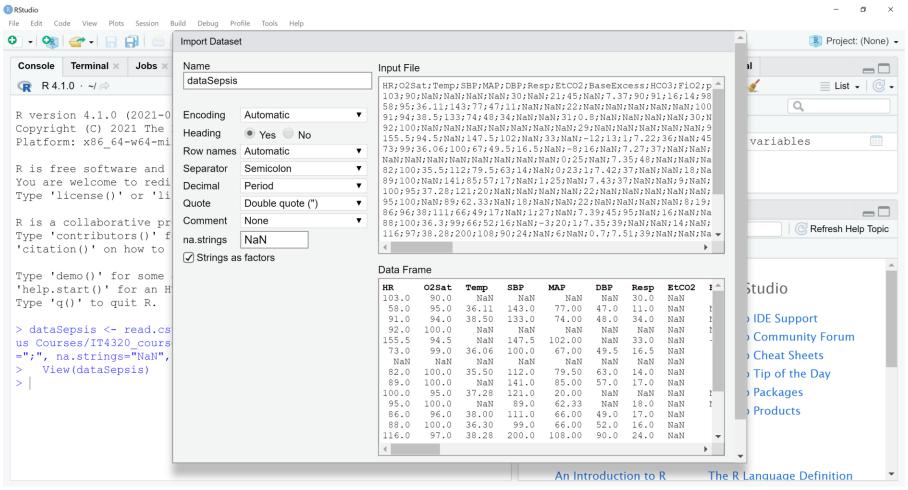


Select Options to Import Your Data Based on the Format of Your Text File



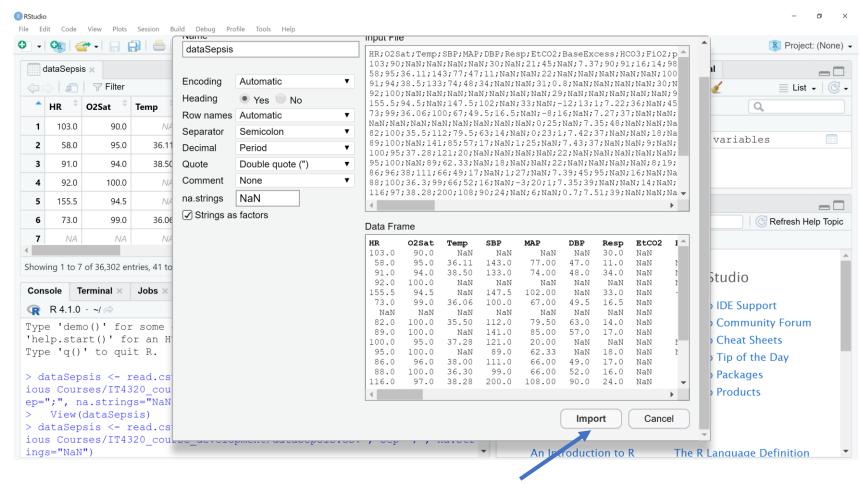


The Options Displayed are Those Required to Successfully Import the sepsis dataset.





Scroll Down and Click "Import" to Complete Import Process

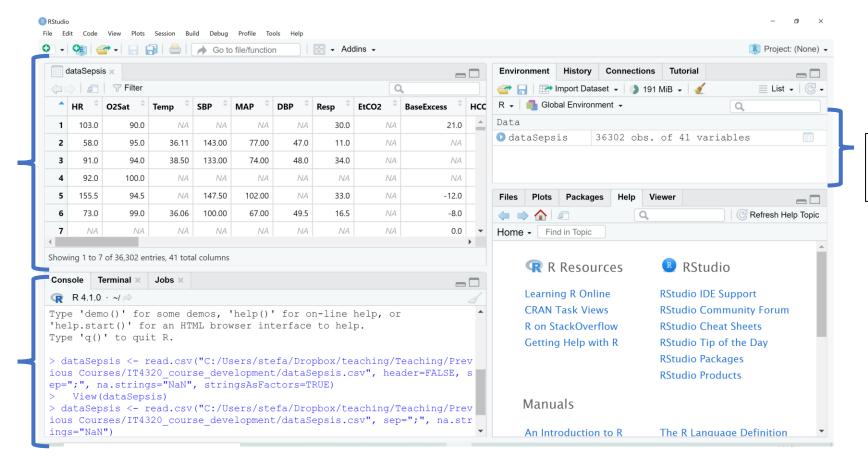




You May Verify Successful Upload On the Following Screen

Imported Data

Logfile
Indicating
Options in
the Import
Process



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Dataset

Summary

More Options for Importing Data Into R Studio

https://support.rstudio.com/hc/en-us/articles/218611977-Importing-Data-with-the-RStudio-IDE



First: Look at the contents of the dataset

> dim(dataSepsis)

The dim() function provides the contents of the dataset identified within the parentheses. The output consists of the number rows/observations followed by the number of columns/variables.

> head(dataSepsis,15)

The head() function provides a printout of the top number of rows specified after the comma from the dataset specified in front of the comma, so it takes the form head(datasetname,numberofrows).



Dim() Output

[1] 36302

> dim(dataSepsis) <

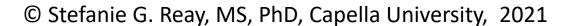
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Code:

dim(datasetname)

Output:

Basic dataset information is here, including the number of observations (rows) and variables (columns).





Head() Output

Variables are across the top (each column is a variable).

```
HR O2Sat
                             SBP
                                         DBP Resp EtCO2 BaseExcess
                              NA
                                          NA 30.0
                                                                      45
        103.0
                90.0
                                                      NA
                                                                      22
                95.0 36.11 143.0
                                  77.00 47.0 11.0
                                                                 NA
                94.0_38.50 133.0
                                                                      31
                                  74.00 48.0
                                                                 NA
          92.0 100.0
                                                                 Each cell represents the value of the
                                          NA 33.0
                                                      NA
                                                                 variable identified in the column header
                99.0 36.06 100.0
                                                      NA
                                                                 for the observation identified on the row
              100.0 35.50 112.0
                                  79.50 63.0
                                                      NA
                                                                 header/label. This cell, for example,
                                  85.00 57.0
                                                      NA
          89.0 100.0
                95.0 37.28 121.0
                                  20.00
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Observations are along the side (each row
                                                        9.3
                                                                  85
                                                NA
                                                        7.9
                                                                 113
is a observation).
                                                                                  Code:
                                                       10.9
                                                                  98
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                               NA
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                                                                 111
                                                                                  Head(datasetname, number of records)
         1.0 7.22
                                                        5.9
                           NA 452
                                                88
                                                                 113
          NA 7.27
                                                                 105
                               NA
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                                                                                    > head(dataSepsis,15)
          NA 7.35
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                                   18
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                                                NA
```



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Second: Summarize the variables and check for missing values

> summary(dataSepsis)

The summary() function outputs several numeric summaries of the variables, including numeric summaries for the numeric variables (minimum, maximum, mean, median, first quartile, and third quartile) and categorical/character variables (length, class, and mode), and the number of null or missing values.





Summary() Output

HR	02Sat	Temp	SBP
Min. : 26.00	Min. : 27.00	Min. :26.67	Min. : 32.0
1st Qu.: 71.00	1st Qu.: 96.00	1st Qu.:36.30	1st Qu.:106.0
Median : 82.00	Median : 98.00	Median :36.80	Median :120.0
Mean : 83.55	Mean : 97.44	Mean :36.82	Mean :122.6
3rd Qu.: 94.00	3rd Qu.:100.00	3rd Qu.:37.39	3rd Qu.:137.0
Max. :184.00	Max. :100.00	Max. :41.80	Max. :281.0
NA's :796	NA's :1566	NA's :19201	NA's :1685
MAP	DBP	Resp	EtCO2
Min. : 20.00	Min. : 22.00	Min. : 1.00	Min. :10.0
1st Qu.: 71.00	1st Qu.: 54.00	1st Qu.:15.00	1st Qu.:28.0
Median : 80.00	Median : 62.00	Median :18.00	Median :33.0
Mean : 82.26	Mean : 63.79	Mean :18.04	Mean :32.4
3rd Qu.: 91.33	3rd Qu.: 72.00	3rd Qu.:20.50	3rd Qu.:37.5
Max. :291.00	Max. :281.00	Max. :59.00	Max. :97.0
NA's :1456	NA's :8385	NA's :2412	NA's :34689

Basic summary statistics (minimum, maximum, mean, median, first and third quartiles, and the count of null values (i.e. "NA's").

*Note that the output for the sepsis dataset does not have any character variable output, because all of the variables are numeric.

Code:

Summary(datasetname)

> summary(dataSepsis)



Sample of Summary() Output for a Character Variable

Student.Level

Length:99

Class :character
Mode :character

For a character variable, the summary function output includes the length of the character variable, the class, and the mode.

*Note that the sepsis data did not have any character variables, so this is an example of output from another dataset.



Select Alternative Options

The following package may be installed to

assist further with exploratory data analysis:

dplyr

skimr

DataExplorer

Installation instructions for contributed packages are provided in the tutorial for installing and accessing R. To use these packages once they are installed, use the following general template code to call and utlize them:

dplyr:

library(dplyr)

glimpse(datasetname)

*uses the glimps function to display values from the variables within the dataset.

skimr:

library(skimr)

skimr(datasetname)

DataExplorer:

library(DataExplorer)

DataExplorer::create_report(datasetname)

*creates a data exploration report in html

format that can be saved as html or printed

to PDF. This is a much more comprehensive

data exploration option than using built-in

functions within the base R installation.

